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Table 1: Economy

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	738	937	848	697	703
Unemployment rate	%	8.1	10.2	8.9	6.7	7.0
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no.	-	-	1 962	2 375	-
Taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	14.9	20.9	-
Average taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	7 757	8 862	-
Taxable individuals	no.	-	-	8 107	7 847	-
Taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	23.1	23.7	-
Average taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	99 227	42 522	-
Net tax	\$m	-	-	69.4	67.6	-
Average net tax	\$	-	-	8 342	8 820	-
Net tax as a proportion of taxable income	%	-	-	2.1	2.0	-
Taxable and non-taxable individuals	no.	-	-	10 159	10 222	-
Taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	36.8	35.4	-
Average taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	33 115	34 687	-
SELECTED GOVERNMENT PENSIONS & ALLOWANCES - at 30 June						
Age Pension - Capital	no.	2 208	2 246	2 250	2 246	2 340
Age Pension - DVA	no.	7	13	16	10	11
Carer Payment	no.	115	126	137	147	168
Disability Support Pension	no.	91	92	94	91	91
Newstart Allowance	no.	585	581	570	587	563
Pensioner Payment - Single	no.	610	600	587	543	513
Youth Allowances	no.	620	611	603	582	622
Newstart Allowance - more than 365 days	%	65.9	65.3	65.5	65.5	64.7
ESTIMATES OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June						
Wages and salary earners	no.	7 710	7 893	7 936	8 009	-
Wage and salary income	\$m	236.8	249.2	264.0	273.8	-
Average wage and salary income	\$	30 710	31 722	32 252	34 191	-
Own unincorporated business earners	no.	1 237	1 234	1 240	1 234	-
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	16.0	16.2	16.8	16.7	-
Average Own unincorporated business income	\$	4 493	5 650	5 653	5 354	-
Investment earners	no.	5 950	5 897	5 884	5 887	-
Investment income	\$m	27.1	30.3	35.1	40.2	-
Average investment income	\$	5 010	5 430	6 232	6 873	-
Supervision and emolument earners	no.	772	760	8 43	807	-
Supervision and emolument income	\$m	13.5	14.4	15.7	17.1	-
Average Supervision and emolument income	\$	17 408	18 308	19 258	20 153	-
Other income earners (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	no.	813	890	950	953	-
Other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	1.1	1.0	1.2	1.3	-
Average other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$	1 304	1 134	1 247	1 266	-
Total income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	297.4	314.8	335.2	351.9	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	838	862	868	887	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	928	906	884	875	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	845	817	824	820	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	781	813	813	867	-
Males - 55 years to 64 years	no.	463	487	503	526	-
Males - 65 years and over	no.	98	107	121	152	-
Males - Total	no.	3 948	3 990	4 027	4 046	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	851	906	890	886	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	832	834	820	832	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	811	811	811	828	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	828	873	850	907	-
Females - 55 years to 64 years	no.	369	380	420	456	-
Females - 65 years and over	no.	49	49	49	49	-
Females - Total	no.	3 762	3 886	3 913	3 983	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	1 682	1 700	1 707	1 703	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	1 741	1 746	1 713	1 765	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	1 681	1 642	1 641	1 636	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	1 610	1 694	1 719	1 703	-
Persons - 55 years to 64 years	no.	863	863	863	863	-
Persons - 65 years and over	no.	143	155	177	188	-
Persons - Total	no.	7 710	7 856	7 940	8 009	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	585	607	605	584	-
Professionals	no.	1 472	1 487	1 510	1 528	-
Associate professionals	no.	57	57	57	56	-
Technicians and Related Workers	no.	758	762	762	779	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	168	151	146	144	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	1 736	1 736	1 736	1 737	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	360	410	446	446	-
Elementary Personal, Sales and Transport Workers	no.	904	933	929	948	-
Laborers and Related Workers	no.	922	924	932	930	-
Non-laborers	no.	493	721	711	692	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	7 712	7 857	7 938	8 012	-
ESTIMATES OF HOUSEHOLD WEALTH - year ended 29 June						
Net worth per household	\$1,000	331.3	-	-	-	-
Aggregate household net worth	\$m	2 538.2	-	-	-	-
Equivalised net worth	\$1,000	227.0	-	-	-	-
Asset per household	\$1,000	384.6	-	-	-	-
Liabilities per household	\$1,000	36.3	-	-	-	-
Debt to asset ratio	%	9.9	-	-	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESSES, INCLUDING ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing business entries	no.	1 112	1 050	980	1 071	-
Employing business entries, 1 to 4 employees	no.	498	600	642	646	-
Employing businesses, 5 or more employees	no.	524	582	588	584	-
Total businesses	no.	2 133	2 217	2 220	2 253	-
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing business entries	no.	237	177	168	163	-
Employing business entries	no.	114	160	159	150	-
Total business entries	no.	354	345	373	333	-
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing business exits	no.	240	264	207	183	-
Employing business exits	no.	18	12	87	99	-
Total business exits	no.	258	276	294	282	-
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	51	63	63	63	-
Manufacturing	no.	120	132	111	120	-
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	8	8	3	3	-
Construction	no.	252	258	273	260	-
Wholesale, retail trade	no.	258	268	271	274	-
Retail trade	no.	423	420	406	406	-
Accommodation, cafe and restaurants	no.	147	144	138	117	-
Transport, postal and warehousing	no.	41	42	40	40	-
Communication services	no.	6	15	15	18	-
Finance and insurance	no.	177	177	171	171	-
Property and business services	no.	432	471	471	504	-
Edible,可食的	no.	113	121	121	121	-
Health and community services	no.	165	177	183	180	-
Cultural and recreational services	no.	42	45	43	47	-
Personal and other services	no.	117	126	126	123	-
Total businesses	no.	2 133	2 217	2 220	2 253	-



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Table 2: Population and People

		2004	2005
ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June			
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	689	674
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	582	580
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	571	561
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	619	630
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	795	782
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	651	654
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	683	646
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	557	549
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	603	592
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	547	536
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	547	542
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	488	495
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	387	402
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	361	354
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	317	316
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	272	249
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	187	182
Males - 85 years and over	no.	145	123
Males - Total	no.	9 001	8 867
 Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	602	579
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	569	542
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	579	586
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	679	710
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	822	822
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	690	687
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	670	653
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	601	598
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	619	618
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	582	582
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	570	565
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	504	511
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	426	428
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	411	410
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	378	366
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	381	353
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	298	287
Females - 85 years and over	no.	352	302
Females - Total	no.	9 733	9 599
 Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	1 291	1 253
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	1 151	1 122
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	1 150	1 147

Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	1 298	1 340
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	1 617	1 604
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	1 341	1 341
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	1 353	1 299
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	1 158	1 147
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	1 222	1 210
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	1 129	1 118
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	1 117	1 107
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	992	1 006
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	813	830
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	772	764
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	695	682
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	653	602
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	485	469
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	497	425
Persons - Total	no.	18 734	18 466

POPULATION DENSITY (ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION) - at 30 June

Population density	persons/km2	-	-
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ESTIMATED RESIDENT INDIGENOUS POPULATION - at 30 June

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006

Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-
Total born overseas	%	-	-

SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006

Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-
Certificate	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	-

OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006

Managers	%	-	-
Professionals	%	-	-
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-
Sales Workers	%	-	-

Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-
Labourers	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-

HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006

Lone person households	no.	-	-
Group households	no.	-	-
Family households	no.	-	-
Total households	no.	-	-

FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006

Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Other families	no.	-	-
Total families	no.	-	-

INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006

Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-

PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006

Major Cities	%	-	-
Inner Regional	%	-	-
Outer Regional	%	-	-
Remote	%	-	-
Very Remote	%	-	-

PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006

Major Urban	%	-	-
Other Urban	%	-	-
Bounded Locality	%	-	-
Rural Balance	%	-	-

UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006

Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-

ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006

Broadband connection	%	-	-
Dial-up connection	%	-	-
Other connection	%	-	-
Total internet connections	%	-	-

BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December

Births	no.	230	248
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Total fertility rate	rate	1.7	1.7
Deaths	no.	190	196
Standardised death rate	rate	6.3	6.8

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2006	2007	2008
636	641	644
596	621	642
529	492	481
650	699	711
752	784	797
688	704	718
605	614	635
560	550	548
577	555	525
532	541	542
538	519	501
525	497	508
395	439	479
365	363	359
319	324	318
250	255	267
206	190	183
144	143	130
8 867	8 931	8 988
569	560	561
544	532	529
564	567	572
699	697	694
835	867	874
676	700	741
645	662	678
591	619	638
610	576	564
590	594	595
567	557	553
516	534	548
435	439	448
411	410	395
350	355	347
371	360	354
278	276	289
331	320	283
9 582	9 625	9 663
1 205	1 201	1 205
1 140	1 153	1 171
1 093	1 059	1 053

1 349	1 396	1 405
1 587	1 651	1 671
1 364	1 404	1 459
1 250	1 276	1 313
1 151	1 169	1 186
1 187	1 131	1 089
1 122	1 135	1 137
1 105	1 076	1 054
1 041	1 031	1 056
830	878	927
776	773	754
669	679	665
621	615	621
484	466	472
475	463	413
18 449	18 556	18 651

1 195.6

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0.7	-	-
3.1	-	-
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0.1	-	-
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0.2	-	-
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6.0	-	-

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1.3	-	-
1.5	-	-
8.2	-	-
5.4	-	-
17.9	-	-
15.8	-	-
50.0	-	-

9.4	-	-
18.3	-	-
15.4	-	-
10.9	-	-
13.3	-	-
11.0	-	-

6.3	-	-
13.9	-	-
1.5	-	-

2 332	-	-
424	-	-
4 400	-	-
7 156	-	-

1 294	-	-
281	-	-
1 615	-	-
830	-	-
305	-	-
113	-	-
4 438	-	-

13 241	-	-
3 098	-	-
8 560	-	-
6 589	-	-

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0.0	-	-

22.7	-	-
20.1	-	-
9.2	-	-
1.3	-	-
12.7	-	-

28.3	-	-
21.0	-	-
0.8	-	-
50.0	-	-

1.8	1.8	1.9
166	229	215
7.1	7.8	8.0



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Table 3: Industry

		2004	2005
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June			
Private sector houses	no.	62	75
Total dwelling units	no.	90	114
Value of private sector houses	\$m	8.2	10.1
Value of new residential building	\$m	12.3	15.1
Value of total residential building	\$m	17.7	18.6
Value of total non-residential building	\$m	16.1	27.8
Value of total building	\$m	33.7	46.4
Average value of private sector houses	\$'000	132.9	134.1
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March			
Number by type of vehicle			
Passenger vehicles	no.	10 483	10 654
Campervans	no.	40	39
Light commercial vehicles	no.	2 000	2 042
Light rigid trucks	no.	47	55
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	231	240
Articulated trucks	no.	62	58
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	19	21
Buses	no.	75	72
Motorcycles	no.	418	431
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	13 374	13 611
Rate per 1,000 population			
Passenger vehicles	no.	560	577
Campervans	no.	2	2
Light commercial vehicles	no.	107	111
Light rigid trucks	no.	3	3
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	12	13
Articulated trucks	no.	3	3
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	1	1
Buses	no.	4	4
Motorcycles	no.	22	23
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	714	737
Age of vehicle			
Less than 5 years old	no.	2 898	3 029
5 years to less than 10 years old	no.	3 279	3 392
10 years or older	no.	7 195	7 189
Number by type of fuel			
Petrol	no.	11 824	12 007

Diesel	no.	873	950
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	676	654

GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION * - year ended 30 June

Gross value of crops	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock slaughterings	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock products	\$m	-	-
Total gross value of agricultural production	\$m	-	-

AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June

Total area

Area of holding	ha	-	-
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-

Total number

Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-
Meat cattle	no.	-	-
Pigs	no.	-	-

* Agricultural commodities and value of production data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS

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2006	2007	2008
50	34	41
79	49	46
8.3	5.3	6.7
13.6	7.1	7.6
17.1	11.3	11.9
15.0	33.2	67.9
32.1	44.5	79.8
166.8	157.1	162.3
10 816	10 778	10 721
38	40	41
2 087	2 084	2 117
70	75	72
244	242	256
60	57	57
21	18	14
74	74	82
453	499	544
13 862	13 868	13 903
586	581	575
2	2	2
113	112	114
4	4	4
13	13	14
3	3	3
1	1	1
4	4	4
25	27	29
751	747	745
3 057	3 112	3 075
3 607	3 574	3 602
7 197	7 180	7 225
12 170	12 029	11 855

1 035	1 123	1 254
658	717	794

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Table 4: Environment and Energy

	2004	2005
LAND AREA		
Land area	km2	-
WATER USE ON AUSTRALIAN FARMS		
Area of agricultural land	ha '000	-
Area irrigated	ha '000	-
Irrigation volume applied	ML	-
Other agricultural uses	ML	-
Total water use	ML	-
Area irrigated as proportion of agricultural land	%	-

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2006	2007	2008
-	-	15.6
0	-	-
0	-	-
0	-	-
0	-	-
0	-	-
0.0	-	-